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FLOWERS AND MUSIC

Features of the Easter Services in the Churches.

VERY LARGE CONGREGATIONS PRESENT

The Decorations at the Different Churches—Palms and Easter Lilies. Generally Used—Fine Musical Programs Well Rendered.

Easter Sunday dawned bright and beautiful, but the air was raw and cold and later dark clouds obscured the sun and the high wind made the day anything but pleasant. This did not, however, interfere with the attendance on the churches, in all of which special floral decorations and special music added pleasureable interest to the services. Large congregations were in attendance on all the churches both morning and evening.

ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH.

The decorations were palms and lilies and they were arranged very tastefully by the ladies. There were large congregations at both services. At the evening service of song there was a short address by the pastor and several beautiful solos were heard.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

At the First Congregational Church the decorations were elaborate and tasteful, having been in charge of Belding. Beautiful palms, Easter lilies and roses were arranged about the pulpit and the effect was very pleasing. The musical programmes at both morning and evening services were beautifully rendered by the choir, a most pleasing feature being the solo by members of the quartette. Mr. Whitney's solo, in the evening, deserves special mention.

AT THE STATE HOSPITAL.

The services at the State Hospital were in charge of the Y. M. C. A. Prayer was offered by H. B. Woodward, and a fine musical programme was rendered which included solos by Mrs. H. L. Adams and Miss Berthold; a duet by Mrs. Emerson and Miss Berthold; quartette by Misses Eilenburger and Mrs. Rockwell; and Miss Campbell; cornet solo by A. Purkin and selection by the orchestra.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

The Assembly Rooms were tastefully decorated about the pulpit with palms, Easter lilies, plauts and cut flowers by George Woodhams. The attendance on the services, morning and evening was large. The Sunday school held its Easter service at 10 o'clock. At the morning service the pastor, Rev. J. N. Emery, preached a sermon on "The risen Christ with His Church." Nine members were received into the church by baptism, profession of faith and right hand of fellowship. A large number of communicants participated in the Lord's Supper. The choir rendered special music in excellent taste.

In the evening the service of song by members of the Sunday school was greatly enjoyed. The pastor preached a short sermon on "Immortality." Professor Roecher and Miss Lottie Wells with their violins added much to the music of the day.

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Two brothers and one sister are also living: Mrs. Hannah McMunn, of Waverly; Harden Knight, of Chemung, N. Y., and W. E. Goldsmith, of Waverly, the latter being a half-brother.

The funeral will be held at the home of his daughter, near Otisville, Tuesday, at 1:30 p. m. Interment in Plains Cemetery.

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beard of the general effect after the service.

Rector Evans preached a strong and effective sermon from the text, "They questioned one another what the raising from the dead might mean."

Under the skillful fingers of the Daughters of the King, the altar at Grace Episcopal Church was very prettily decorated with cut flowers while the chancel was fairly hidden behind a mass of Easter lilies and palms. Many of the latter were from the green house of Miss Flora Horton, who loaned them for the occasion.

The Easter offertory amounted to more than \$500. There were two hundred and fifty communicants in all.

To-day, the election of vestrymen was held, and all of the members were re-elected.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Mary E. Mayer.

Word was received here, to-day, of the death at Canandaigua, Sunday, of Mary Emily Sayer, widow of the late John C. Sayer, who formerly resided in this city. Apoplexy was the cause of death.

Abram A. Bensel.

Abram A. Bensel, Orange county's oldest newspaper man, died Saturday at his home in Newburgh, from the effects of injuries sustained by falling into a sewer trench. He was eighty-one years old.

Mr. Bensel was born at Berlingham and learned the printer's trade in the *Watchman* office in Monticello. In 1841, he started the *Middletown Courier*, which he published for four years, when he removed the press and material to Kingston and began the publication of the *Ulster Democrat*. Failing strength compelled him to give up the printing business and for ten years he engaged in fruit culture at Milton. In 1876 he purchased the *Newburgh Press*, and published it for two years. He then sold the establishment and began the publication of *Home, Farm and Garden*, devoted to agriculture and horticulture. He discontinued this paper in 1878, and since that time has been employed as proof reader in Newburgh printing offices.

He was held in high esteem by all who knew him. He is survived by his widow, who is a sister of John N. Kellogg, of this city.

James M. Knight.

James M. Knight, a much respected

farmer of the town of Wallkill, died Saturday morning, April 1, at 2 o'clock,

at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. J. Boyd, near Otisville, in his seventy-ninth year.

He was born on a farm near Highland Lake and lived there until his wife died, nearly two years ago, after which he made his home with his daughter. About Jan. 1st he suffered an attack of grippe, from which he did not recover.

Those who knew Mr. Knight best

but could recognize the fact that he was a very industrious man, kind to an extreme in his family and a desirable

neighbor and citizen.

He is survived by five children: Chas.

W. of Minneapolis, Minn.; George E. of Decatur, Ill.; Mrs. S. J. Boyd, of Otisville; T. Harden, of Jersey City, N. J., and J. Frank, of Denver, Col. Ruth A. died in 1878 and two other children died in infancy.

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MAURICE DAYTON.

Maurice Dayton, father of Postmaster R. S. Dayton, died at the latter's home, No. 36 Broad street, this morning at 2 o'clock. He received a paralytic stroke some months ago, and sustained two severe falls since. He had been confined to his bed for a week and his death was not unexpected.

The deceased was born in New York, February 24, 1819, but the greater part of his life was spent at Modena, Ulster county, where he was a bootman on the Hudson.

In partnership with his cousin, Morgan A. Dayton, he owned and operated the sloop, "Othello," for years between Albany and New York, but his wife's failing health induced him to abandon that occupation and he purchased a farm of Sappanoh, Ulster county. Later he spent a few years in Sullivan county, and then returned to Ulster.

After the death of his wife in 1876, he came to this city to make his home with his son, Byron S., and has since resided here and at Ellenville.

The wife of the deceased was Miss Jane Barnes, who was born on a sailing vessel on the Atlantic while her parents were enroute from Ireland to America.

She was reared, educated and married at Poughkeepsie.

The family of which the deceased was

a representative originated in England, and was founded in America by three brothers, who came from that country and made a settlement in Connecticut. Hence Joseph Dayton, the grandfather of the deceased, emigrated to Ulster county and became the founder of the family in this locality. He was one of the brave soldiers of the Revolution. The father of the deceased was born in Ulster county, where he engaged in agricultural pursuits.

The deceased was in good health for

one of his age, previous to sustaining injuries from two falls this winter, but since the accidents had gradually failed until the end came.

Five children survive: Byron S., postmaster of this city; Alvilda and Mary Ann, wife of Edward Burhans, both of this city; Adolphus Dayton, of Ellenville, and Olive Jane, wife of Lawrence Rich, of this city.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN.

The services of this church were held in Nearing Hall and there was a very encouraging attendance. The Sunday School gave a programme at the evening service. R. V. Drach preached in the morning.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH.

The church was filled. There were pretty decorations and entertaining services. The work of the choir was very pleasantly commented upon. In the evening the Sunday school sang a choral service.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

This church was tastefully decorated by Bartholomew. Lilies and palms predominated and a charming effect was produced. At the morning service was sung by Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Adams and Col. Shepard. In the evening Mr. Adams sang a solo. The attendance was very large and Dr. Winters preached interestingly.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

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